

TWO NEW LAND-SHELLS FROM TENERIFE.

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THE two species which we have now the pleasure to describe owe their discovery to the energy of Colonel Parry, who collected them when at Tenerife in the spring of this year (1893).

HELIX (GONOSTOMA) PARRYI, n.sp.

Testa depressa, lenticularis, cinereo-cornea parum solida; anfr. $4\frac{1}{2}$ convexi, regulariter accrescentes, suturâ sat profundâ discreti, striis elevatis oblique sculpti, ultimus versus aperturam, et infra et supra peripheriam, obtuse carinatum, ruguloso plicatus; umbilicus mediocris profundus; apert. rotundata, fere horizontalis, margines callo tenui juncti, basatis incrassatus reflexus. Diam. maj. 13, min. 11.6 mm.; alt. 4 mm. *Hab.*—Icod, Ins. Tenerife.

Differs from its nearest ally, *H. hispidula*, Lam., in its uniformly smaller size, more convex and more tightly coiled whorls, and more open and perspective umbilicus; it is also less sharply keeled than that species. Found by Colonel Parry in considerable numbers. It seems strange that this form should have hitherto escaped the observation of collectors.

*Helix Parryi*, n.sp.*Pupa pyramidula*, n.sp.

PUPA PYRAMIDULA, n.sp.

Testa parva, conica, unicolor fusca, tenuis; anfr. $5\frac{1}{2}$ tumiduli, longitudinaliter levissime striati, ultimus inflatus, magnus; spira obtusa et quasi-planata, apex minutus; apert. semiovalis, prope insertionem marginis dextri plicâ tenui, oblique intrante, munita; margines distantes, undique breviter reflexi; umbilicus mediocris, infundibuliformis. Long. 3.5, lat. 1.5 mm. *Hab.*—Icod, Ins. Tenerife.

Differs from *Pupa umbilicata*, Drap., in its shape, being pyramidal rather than cylindrical; it is also of a darker colour than the form of that species found at Tenerife. *P. pyramidula* has also one whorl less, and the whorls are not so inflated; the tooth is more slanting and the mouth more oval; moreover the columellar lip is more nearly in a line with the axis of the shell.

The types of both species are in Mr. Sykes' collection.